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Dear Dick:

In a recent report in the Washington Post on the sale of Robert F. Kennedy's Cuban Memoirs to McCall Corporation, the article states that the manuscript contains "far more information than has previously been published on the thinking and feelings at that time of the President (John F. Kennedy) and Attorney General (Robert Kennedy), the estimates and reports of the CIA . . ."

Our estimates and analyses, as well as those of the Board of National Estimates (which met every day during the crisis) were classified and handled on a restricted distribution basis.

I hope that some of your people have been in circuit and that no releases will be made which will violate the classification of the documents.

If you have any problems, I will be happy to talk with Ted Sorenson or Ethel Kennedy concerning this matter.

Regards.

Sincerely,

The Honorable Richard Helms
Director
Central Intelligence Agency
Washington, D. C. 20505

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